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RE: Notices on E467, E1273, E4803, & a33723 (35-4514)

Dear Mr. Barnett:

Your request to be notified of any documents regarding the above-numbered applications was received in our office on March 28, 2014. The Division of Water Rights policy is to notify owners of record (or their authorized agent). We invite you to use our electronic service which allows the public to be notified by email each time a new document is added to a water right file. The Division has statutory responsibilities to provide notice of the filing of documents pertinent to individual water rights to owners of water rights and to those who join as parties using the statutorily designated process (filing a protest). The overhead of providing mailed notice to others is an unfunded and unauthorized burden which is increasingly clouding the agency's mission and focus on statutory responsibilities. Other parties which would like to track activity can subscribe to the email notification service (which is free to them, places no demand on staff, and invokes no legal responsibility on the part of the Division). The login site for email notices is available through http://www.waterrights.utah.gov/wrinfo/notices.asp.

If the Powder Mountain Water & Sewer Improvement District has authorized you as its agent in water rights matters, you may file a change of address form requesting all future notices be addressed to you in behalf of the District. Your present request, however, wasn't clear that that is to be the case, so I won't construe it to be a request for a change of the District's address to your care.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me. My office phone number is 801-538-7396.

Sincerely,

Gary Brimley, P.E. Assistant Region Engineer

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